

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Fumio KURIYAMA et al.

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Examiner Zulmariam Mendez

PLATING APPARATUS

Mail Stop Amendment

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed October 6, 2008, the period for response having been extended by two months, please amend the above-identified application as follows.